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POST OFFICE HOURS.

THE RELIGION OF ENGLISH ROY-

Queen Victoria is the legal head of the Episcopal Church of England and the Presbyterian Church of Scotland. When she is in England her Presbyterianism is technically called "dissent." She has a morbid hatred of ritnalism. The Prince of Wales is inclined to ritualistic ceremonies, while his eldest sister, the Princess of Germany, is a Lutheran, his brother-in-law, Lord Lorne, is a Presbyterian, another brother-inlaw, the Prince Imperial of Prussia, is a Protestant Lutheran, a sister-in-law, the Duchess of Edinburg, is a Greek Catholic: her husband is a Low Church Episcopalian, the other brothers and sisters are Episcopalians and Presbyterians by turn, their particular creed depending upon their residence. The Princess of Wales clings to the faith she was taught in Denmark

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The bored of education-children who hate school

An aimless Milwaukee woman boxes her husband's cars with her feet. When a man isn't good for anything lse, he's about right to sit on a jury.

When a boy becomes bent on going sea he should be straightened out beore the mast

Henry Clay describes a mule as "au animal that has no pride of ancestry and no hope of posterity. Two horns will last an ox a life time, but many a man wants that number ev

ery morning before breakfast.

A French preacher describes hell as a place where they talk politics all day — What they do it night he does not re-The young man who sang "Oh

breathe no more that simple air," went into a smoking car where it was more "When I put my foot down I'll have you to understand," said Mrs Nojoker, that there's something there."

investigation, it was found to be a No. It is said that bleeding a partially blind horse at the nose will restore him

to sight, so much for a horse To op-Provisions, en aman's eyes you must bleed him in

wielding a club. "Don't be angry with me darling," is LOW FIGURES! an appropriate song for a man to sing after he has blackened both of his wife's eyes. It goes to show he is a man of

Miss Bacon, who lives out West, knew Beans and married him. The oc-Country Produce I casion is far too serious, however, for the perpetration of one of those too

The maddest kind of a woman is one who spends a half hour in arranging her toilet before descending to the parlor on the arrival of a visitor who proves

According to the Milwaukee News,

A married gentleman from Tolcdo walked into the ball room, the other night, in full dress, after sitting for some minutes on his wife's powder box, carelessly left on a chair The effect

Wylie, the champion checker player of the world, is in Cincinnati, and is met by a challenge to play twenty games for from \$1,000 to \$10,000 each. The challenger makes a move in the right direction by agreeing to donate all the more when were win to a charitable pure.

Cincinnatus M. Morrison and James W Patton, partners &c., as Morrison & Patton, vs George W. Kannady.
Public notice is hereby given, that by rittue of a decree rendered in the above entitled éause, at the August term, A. D 1874, of the circuit court, within and for the county of Macon and State of Hinnels, the undersigned will sell on the money he may win to a charitable purpose; the amount to be expended 1874, pose; the amount to be expended doubtless, under the direction of a checker-board.

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Figderick Aholtz, I have levied upon the
following described property, to-wit: Lot
fifteen (15), block one (1), in South-Eastern
Addition to Decatur, Macon county Illis,
taken as property of the said Frederick
Aholtz, which I shall offer at public sale at
the west door of the Court House, in Macon
county, in said State, on the

10th day of December, A. D. 1874, at the hour of 2 o'clock, p m, of said day for each in hand, to satisfy said Execution This 17th day of November, A D 18'1, ISAAC D JENNINGS, 17 d3w Sheriff Macon County.

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Drusilla Claik, Executrix, Etc., of Samuel Clark, Deceased, et. Moses C. Hicks and Elizabeth A Hicks. the pocket.

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Said premises will be soid subject to icdemption.

Decatur, Ill., Nov. 7, 1871.

Master in Chancery for Macon Co. Ill.

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MASTER'S SALE.

Christian Kratz vs. Virginia Moon, et al PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of a decree rendered in the above entitled cause, at the August Term, A. D 1871, of the circuit court within and for the county of Macon and State of Illinois, the undersigned will sell on the According to the Milwaukee News, a young lady asked a bookseller's clerkif he had "Festus." "No," was the answer, "but I'm afraid a boil is coming on the back of my neck."

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Edwin R. Lidridge, Surviving Landson &c., vs Richard I. Davis and Barr B Davis.
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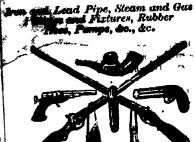
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CONGRESS.

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both houses yesterday, but its great glanghter the limit to the length will prevent its appearance in on the plains, occasionally diverting our columns. A synopsis will be given themselves by popping over grouse and prairie hen, or stalking red deer in the in our issue of to-morrow. The message is an important and able document, and will receive the careful consideration of the public. The principal points were forecast in our Washington despatches yesterday.

THE Hon. H. S. Senter, a member vorable conditions, they ought to bag of the State Senate from the Mercer district, two years ago, died at his home, at Aledo, on the 1st inst. .

THE Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph | this wholesale slaughter of the game in Co., one of the oldest and wealthiest | the national reserves; but after all it is companies in the country, has bought at least an open question whether it the controlling interest in the Great would not be better to have the last Western Company.

THERE is a homely saying that it is and so long as the Indian can find not safe to count chickens before they are hatched, and the Democrats of the Keystone State had better remember it before they quarrel over the successor- resist all efforts to civilize him. Even ship to Mr. Scott, whose term in the United States Senate expires next March. They claim a clear majority of seven on joint ballot in the State legislature, but we believe that the wish is "father to the thought," for not only a number of Republican members hold over in the upper branch, but there are several doubtful votes which will probably be found on the wrong side of the tally. In the meantime, however, we can see no objection to the scrub race shoes, prominent among whom are mentioned the names of Wallace, just re-elected to the State Senate; Heister Clymer, a member of the present Congress, and Charles R. Buckalow, one of wheels of trade move slowly, and the the most inveterate officer seekers and number of persons out of employment pronounced Bourbon Democrats in Ponnsylvania.

GREAT apprehensions are felt in New | the causes that have produced it, and to York City over the ravages of the manently correcting it Whether the small-pox, as the disease is spreading present condition of affairs was or was through the city. The most energetic not produced by over-trading, extravameasures are being taken to compel all gauce and a reckless creation of debt, it who have not been vaccinated to at once attend to that duty. Quite a number disease. To this extent, therefore, evof cases have occurred in the Deaf and eny individual may contribute to the Dumb Asylum, where six hundred in- remedy, and help to bring the business mates have been exposed to the disease. Of the country back to a solid, healthy basis by resolutely keeping his expenses within his income, winding up and closposure. Under the new law in New ing out all speculative enterprises, con-York the authorities have the power to verting his available assets with as little

necessary one, and if every business man SENATOR MORTON passed through and firm would carry it out the country this city yesterday, on route for Wash- | would be immensely the gainer by it.ington, via his home at Indianapolis. Indianapolis Journal. He has found the climate of California of great benefit, and appears to be much improved in health. Upon his arrival Our citizens this morning were called at the capital he will at once assume out under arms. The negroes at 3 his place and duties in the Senate. The | o'e'ock advanced on the city in three Republican party needs the counsels columns, and an engagement occurred and labors of the great Indiana Senator. on Cherry street, in which the negroes for Tuesday of next week. The naval when we say the Ropublican party were repulsed and lost four killed, and appropriation bill was made the special we mean equally the country, for we a number were wounded. The negroes order for Wedn sday of next week, the regard the ascendency of the one as estate now advancing, and another containing appropriation bill for Thursday, The insidious pleadings of expediency are creeping into the counsels of the Republican party, and unless preparation of the results of the regression of the Republican party, and unless preparation bill for Tuesday, the negrees had 20 killed, 20 wounded, the 22d. Republican party, and unless promptly and from 30 to 10 taken prisoners. arrested they will prove fatal to its in Oliver Brown, a white man, of Snyder's tegrity, and consequently to its contin- Bluff, was killed. ued ascendency. The reflection that the downfall of the Republican party pute which has been going on lately Mr. Tyner reported a bill appropriatwill assuredly witness the rise to power between the Tax payers Association ing \$30,000 for the purchase of scales of the Democracy is sufficiently alarming to demand prompt action with a view to avert such a calamity. During its entire history the Republican party has never won a victory by the cry of expediency. Its watchword has been, and must continue to be, "The right for right's own sake." Senator Marton for right's own sake." Senator Morton of county officers, who all fled except will have an opportunity this winter to Sheriff Crosby, a negro, who resigned make his voice heard in favor of a return to those policies which made the Saturday. However, the card signed by Crosby called on the Republicans Republican party great in its infancy of Warren county to support him. He Moral principle rules the Republican party, and we look to see Senator Morthle negroes advanced on the town by ton awaken the conscience of the countries road, with the results already try to the pressing needs of the hour stated. They numbered about 550.

-Inter-Ocean, Dec. 7.

Several of the captured negroes have

death fashionable. The only daughter county. of wealthy parents, a belle in society, beautiful and good, died suddenly of clothes which the envious world had never seen! It was too bad, and some thing must be done. The pretty corpse was rigged out in white satins and laces looped with diamonds, bejeweled with the harbaric extravagance of an Oriental despot, her hands onesed in six-button kid gloves, and the full uniform of the salon. With music and r freshments the exhibition was prepared for the guests who came in answer to 1,500 invitations. What is bred in the bone must come out in the flesh, and one generation cannot climinate the ancestral passion for an illicant wike.

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TELEGRAPHIC. In the coming spring one hundred English "swells" are coming over to enter upon a grand hunting season on the western plains. The hunt is to be [Reported Expressly for the Daily I publican.] organized on a magnificent scale. One hundred Texan rangers will accompany

them, and in addition to a vast retinue

of servants, cooks, grooms, valets, ctc., they will be accompanied by a brass band, which will discourse sweet

music as they gather around their cheer-

ballet dancers, and, may be, even an

opera troupe. They will hunt the

these modern Nimrods, with their

Texan reinforcement-two hundred

say 30,000, and reduce, by that much

the resources of Mr. Lo and his people. Some philanthropic people, including

be expected to enter a protest against

buffalo destroyed. The animal is of

no special benefit to the white race,

abundance of buffalo he will follow the

chase in the pleasant months of the

year, make war upon the white settler

at all other seasons, and successfully

should the Indian disappear with the

buffalo the settlers on the frontier

than they were a year ago, it cannot be

denied that the country is passing

through a period of very great stringen

cy, the effects of which are felt by all

lasses of society. It is true the report

of business failures, of closing mills and

factories and of suspending industries

are not as frequent as they were at this

time last year, and there are unmistaka-

dition, with a prospect that it will con-

tinue so at least during the greater part

of the winter. Values of all kinds are

undergoing a steady shrinkage; the

in all the cities is distressingly great.

It is the part of the wise men to face

the situation bravely, to inquire into

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Vicksburg, Dec. 7-1:30 p. m .-

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the Indian Peace Commis

We are not sure but that they

MEETING OF CONGRESS

3 O'Clock, P. M.

ful camp-fire to partake of the evening How the Message Received.

The Report of Secretary

Bristow.

forest primeval. It is estimated that WAR AT VICKSBURG

guns in all-will be able to slaughter an average of 500 buffaloes per day. Twenty Negroes Killed and In two months, throwing off a liberal Twenty Wounded. per centage for bad weather and unfa-

DETAILS OF THE FIGHT.

[Special Dispatch.] SPRINGFIELD, ILL., Dec. 7, 1874.

A sad accident happened yesterday afternoon six miles above here, on the south fork of the Sangamon river, resulting in the drowning of four children. Their names were William, Hiram, and Ida Hornbecker; brothers and sister, and Edward Ward. It seems that a dozen or more children had gathered there to skate, but there were only five who would go on the ice on account of its being so thin, and the five While the prevailing symptoms in usiness circles are less discouraging one, Johnnie Hornbecker, who barely buffalo, N. Y.; S. H. Thompson, Union Depot, Columbus, Ohio; or E. A. Ford, Pareth Columbus, Ohio; or E. A. Ford, P business circles are less discouraging one, Johnnie Hornbecker, who barely escaped with his life. He tried hard to save his little sister. They sunk in ten feet of water. The bodies were recovered and an inquest held by the Coroner. They hadn't got but ten feet from the bank before the ice broke and let them all down to the bottom. The mother of the three children is a widwhich is going on among the small ble signs of better times coming. Nev. mother of the three children is a widarmy of aspirants for Mr Scott's ortholess, the fact remains that business ow, and the loss is very sorrowful and of all kinds is in a very depressed congreat to her.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7 .-- The Senate was called to order at noon to-day, and the chaplain, Dr. Sunderland, made the

pening prayer. A resolution to inform the House of Representatives that a quorum of the Senate was ready for business was agreed to.

It was ordered that sessions should begin at noon daily, until otherwise ordered.

The Chair appointed Messrs. Conkling and Thurman a committee on the part of the Senate, to join the committee of the House, and inform the Prestce of the House, and inform the President that a quorum of both houses was present and ready to receive any Short Line, the best and shortest to Kancommunication he desired to make.—

House met at noon. Proceedings House met at noon. Proceedings were opened with prayer by Chaplain Butler. The roll call showed 238 members present. Four new members took the oath. The roll call showed 238 Mo., either of whom will furnish any intook the oath.

York the authorities have the power to compel those who will not submit to sacrifice as possible, and paying off his debts. This may be a paintul and difficult operation, but it is a healthy and ficult operation, but it is a healthy and the President and notify him that the Messrs. Dawes, Hale, of New York, house was prepared to hear any communication he might wish to make. Mr. Phelps asked the repeal of the

press gag law. The message, after reading, was or-

dered printed Mr. Garfield, from the Commission of the Mississippi River—
Appropriations, reported the legislative of the Mississippi River—
This popular Route is acknowledged by all to be the best equipped and best man sign order running the finest Parlor Cars in the world running the finest Parlor

The legislative bill appropriates \$19,-653,000 for the navy, \$17,000,000 for the army, \$4,861,000 for the Indians,

Mr. Tyner refused to allow the amendment. Bill passed, and Mr. Cox introduced a bill to earry out the object referred to by him. Refurred. Mr. Phelps gave notice that he would, next Monday (if he got the floor), move

to suspend the rules and pass a bill which he sought to introduce and pass ABSTRACTER, CONVEYANCER, to-day, to repeal the press gag law.

THE gilded aristocracy of New York oldered by the sheriff to come to the message was well received in both houshave devised a means of making even city. The negroes are raiding the es to-day, except those who are opposed to taking present steps toward specie payment objected. On all sides, CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Yesterday some however it is agreed that it is General heart disease. Such a waste of good boys found the skeleton of well- Grant's strongest message. After its Blanks of all Kinds For Sale. clothes which the envious world had dressed man in a coal vault in front of first preparation, and just before it was

that of any Secretary of the Treasury

for a long time past. Gen. Garfield and his committee have done the most effective work ever performed in the preparation of appropriation bills. The principal ones were reported to-day and all the rest will fol-low before the House can reach them.

THE Treasury Department evidently has a head, in more senses that one.

Not very long ago it was perceived to be decidedly in need of something of that sort.

Boarding .- A few gents can be accommodated with first-class day board. at the corner of Wood and State streets. MRS. T. J. V. OWEN.

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Go West Through St. Louis. During the summer season, the Missouri Pacific and Kansas Pacific Through Line, via St. Louis and Kansas City, will sell Excursion Tickets, from St. Louis and Denver and Raturn good ninety City, will sell Excursion Tickets, from St.
Louis to Denver and Return, good ninety
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rons nave neen adopted.

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H. & St. Jo R. R., Hannibal, Mc.

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mr. Dubois will still be pleased to see and wait upon his friends at the old stand.

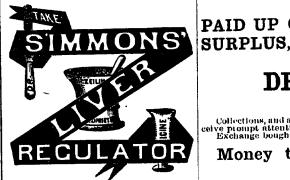
J. S. HAND & CO.

22. Parties knowing themselves indebted to the old firm of J. S. Hand & Co., will please call and make immediate settlement.

Dec. 8, 1871-d5t

NOTICE.

MY WIFE AMELIA, having left my bed and board without just cause, all persons are hereby warned not to trust her or harbor her on my account, as I will pay no debts of her contracting. MARTIN NOGALSKI. Dec. 6, 1874-dSt*.



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THE SYMPTOMS of Liver Complaint are a bitter or bad taste in the mouth; Pain in the Back, Sides or Joints, often taken for Rheumatism; Sour Stomach; Loss of Appetite; Howels alternately costive and lax; Headache; Loss of memory, with a painful sensation of having failed to do something which ought to have been done; Deblitty Low Spirits, a thick yellow appearance of the Skin and Eyes, a dry Cough often mistaken for Consumption.

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Sometimes many of these symptoms at-tend the disease, at others very few; but the LIVER, the largest organ in the body, is gen erally the seat of the disease, and if no Regulated in time, great suffering, wretch edness and DEATH will ensue. For DYSPEPSIA, CONSTIPATION, Jaundice, Billous attacks, SICK HEADACHE Colic, Depression of Spiritis, SOUR STOMACH, Heart Burn, etc., etc. The Cheapest, Purest and Best Family Medicine in the World

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Jacob M. Dawson, Deceased, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court ofsaid county, in the city of Decautur, on Monday, the 21st day of December, A. L. 1874, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

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splendid fine boots made by J. P. Marsh, and crowds are having their measure ta ken for a pair. .. Kitchen's Coffee and Tea Store

thronged with purchasers daily . The price of eggs and butter has popped up to a high figure during the

past week. ... Choice California Honey, at Jack .. A quantity of clothing and son money have been sent from this city t

the Kansas sufferers. .. All who want a superb smoke shoul be sure to buy their cigars of And ..Mr. J. B. Ehrhart, the painter, h.

commenced work at frescoing the wall and ceilings of the new United Brethre Church. .. Presh bread and crackers receive and for sale at Niedermyer's daily.

.. A new boiler, which has just be manufactured at the central boiler wo in this city, has been put up and now in use at the gas works. .. E. B. Pratt & Son have storted a no grocery store at Oreana. A car load

goods was shipped to that point yest ...Superior writing paper, of all styl

at 1. J. Davis & Co's periodical em ...Mr. T. J. V Owen, who lat moved to this place, has purchased half interest in Gardiner's drug stor

.. No police doings to-day All quiet, and the Justices report that the never knew a time when business in police courts was so dull as it is at p .. Oper (tions at-Ullrich's packing he

have now ceased, and the work the about done for this winter. So far barrels of lard have been made cellar is piled full of hams, sides shoulder, which will soon be smo and cured, and then sold

.. A young lady who entered a D tur music store and asked the ye man in attendance, "Have you He Dreams " was astonished when ! plied, "No, ma'am, I am m troubled with the nightmare." If not know why she went out so hurriand slammed the door after her. ..E. B. Pratt & Son have a large

of sugar-cured hams of superior qu .. A "patent" burglar-sh ooter has invented by a peevish old man who in the business part of the city. he retires he fixes up at his door Colt's revolver, which is so rigge that when the door is forced oper weapon will be discharged. One glar who attempted to break into place barely escaped getting a ch

cold lead a short time ago. .. Now is the time to subser Periodicals for the coming year. body can be supplied, at

7-dawlw LITSINBERGER & SUT ... York State buckwheat flour at E B Pratt & Son's. Don't try it

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Gratifying Result.-- It is most fying to the committee of the having the matter in charge, as also be to the citizen general while the estimated cost of cons the filter at the river was \$4,500 tual cost has been only \$3,530, a articles and stock purchased to in that work, are still on hand, be profitably used for other pur

Coming.-It should be ren that Miss Olive Logan is to h the opera house on Tuesday eve 15th. Her subject on that occu be "Girls."

W ather Strips, for sale at 8-14 Not Guilty.—In the case of

ple vs. Nicholas Weber, for se to min ors, tried in the circuit morning, the jury returned not guilty. The Parlor Kaleidoscop

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CITY DEPARTMENT.

.. Fresh oysters received daily at Imboden's.

... Freight hashness on the railroads entering this city still continues lively, and the switch engines are kept busy night and day .. At J. Ullrich & Co.'s may be found

a full assortment of canned and dried finits of superior quality.

.. Everybody is talking about those splendid fine boots made by J. P. Marsh, and crowds are having their measure ta-

... Kitchen's Coffee and Tea Store is thronged with purchasers daily ... The price of eggs and butter has

popped up to a high figure during the past week. . .. Choice California Honey, at Jack &

... A quantity of clothing and some

money have been sent from this city to the Kausas sufferers. ... All who want a superb smoke should be sure to buy their eigars of Andy

.. Mr. J. B. Ehrhart, the painter, has commenced work at frescoing the walls

and cellings of the new United Brethren ... Presh bread and crackers received and tor sale at Niedermyer's daily.

.. A new boiler, which has just been manufactured at the central boiler works in this city, has been put up and is now in use at the gas works . E. B Pratt & Son have started a new

.. Mr. T J V Owen, who lately moved to this place, has purchased a

half interest in Gardiner's drug store. ... No police doings to day. All is quiet, and the Justices report that they never knew a time when business in the police courts was so dull as it is at pres

... Operations at Ullrich's packing house have now ceased, and the work there is about done for this winter. So far 250 barrels of laid have been made. The cellar is piled tull of hams, sides and the same; and are now able to report the same; and are now able to report the following. They have sunk a reservoir 102 feet long and 10 feet wide, 7 feet below low water mark and 3 feet below.

man in attendance, "Have you Happy Droams" was astonished when he replied, "No, ma'am, I am mostly troubled with the nightmare." He did not know why she went out so hurriedly

invented by a prevish old man who lives in the business part of the city. When he retires he fixes up at his door a big Colt's revolver, which is so rigged up that when the door is forced open the that when the t weapon will be discharged. One burglar who attempted to break into this place barely escaped getting a chunk of cold lead a short time ago.

.. Now is the time to subscribe for Periodicals for the coming year. Everybody can be supplied, at

7-dawlw Lytsinberger & Sutton's. .. York State buckwheat flour for sale at E. B Pratt & Son's. Don't fail to

order to do this be sure to provide yourorder to do this be sure to provide yourselves with some of those waterproof
overshoes at V. Barber & Co.'s, and also
a full outfit for your feet from their
of the purposes. We also attach to this
report a detailed statement of the cost
of the work by Superintendent. splendid stock of boots and shors. They have goods for winter wear of all varicties and of the latest style.

tying to the committee of the Council having the matter in charge, as it must also be to the citizens generally, that while the estimated cost of constructing the fitter at the river was \$4,500 the action of the citizens generally. the filter at the river was \$4,500 the actual cost has been only \$3,530, and some 175 ft. 22 inch sewer pipe. 243 00 actials and stock machines to be seen at the property of the property of the sewer pipe. 243 00 actuals and stock machines at the property of the propert

Coming.---It should be temembered that Miss Olive Logan is to lecture at the opera house on Tuesday evening, the 15th. Her subject on that occasion will

be " Girls." W other Strips, for sale at Ashby's.

to min 178, tried in the circuit court this | Church street and putting a two foot morning, the jury returned a verdict of plank walk in place thereof. Report

The "Parlor Kaleidoscope" makes a nays, Butman and Mills. spiendid holiday present. For site at Line of the bost brands of American watches, Lora & Sutton's.

Line of the bost brands of American watches, Lora & Sutton's. splendi i holiday present. For sale at | Finance committee reported back jail

CITY COUNCIL.

REGULAR MEETING. Council convened at 8 o'clock, Mayor

Priest in the chair. Present-Aldermen Waggoner, Stare, McKim, Muzzy, Ehrman, Abel, Peake,

Butman, Leake and Mills. The minutes of the last regular meeting and two specials, were read and ap-

The report of the City Treasurer, of ton streets. moules received and expended during the mouth of November, was read, and eferred to Finance Committee.

Report of City Supervisor, of money and lumber expended during the month the same time, was read and received, and warrants were ordered drawn for the

Report of the Sup't of water works, of water rents collected during the month of November, was read, and referred to committee on fire and water.

The same officer reported the expense account for running the water works, which was adopted, and warrants were ordered issued for the several amounts named therein.

Another report from the same officer was read, setting forth the expense acamounts specified A further report from the same officer

of expense account for labor on the new engine house, was read, and warrants were ordered drawn for the several for November. The pay-roll of men employed in lay

ing water pipe in November, was pre sented by the same officer, and warrants were ordered issued. The report of E Hughes, as Justice of

the Peace, of police cases tried in November, was received and referred to finance committee

The report of T B Albert, upon the same subject, took the same course. The report of I. A. Buckingham, City

Attorney, upon the same matter, was in like manner referred. The committee on public improve ments made the following report, setting | for \$150, in favor of Henry Bishop, for torth the progress made in constructing the filter at the water works, which was

placed on file to be spread upon the records : To his Honor the Mager and Gentlemen of

the City Council:
Your committee on construction of filter have the honor to make the followgoods was shipped to that point yesterday.

Superior writing paper, of all styles, at 1. J. Davis & Co's periodical empo-

unce with plans submitted to and ap-proved by your honorable body at said proved by your honorable body at said meeting) was commenced on the 8th of September and prosecuted with as much vigor as the circumstances would admit; and your committee would here take and your committee would here take occasion to say that the work being experimental, they deemed it advisable, as nearly as they could foresee, to provide for any difficulty in sinking the reservoir to the desired depth, and it being the general opinion that the greatest difficulty would be to displace the water while the ing the pit they prochased a number of the pit of the pit they prochased a number of the pit of t sinking the pit, they purchased a pump of sufficient capacity to displace the amount of water likely to be encountered,

tur music store and asked the young water bearing stratum of gravel and sand, the foundation timbers resting substannot know why she went out so hurriedly and slammed the door after her.

If B Pratt & Son have a large lot of sugar cured hams of superior quality.

A "patent" burglar-shooter has been invented by a peevish old man who lives

river. With regard to the depth of reservoir

mark), and resting on the depth of reservoir, as above stated, (7 feet below low water mark), and resting on the hard pan below thewater bearing stratum, your committee believe it to be sufficient, because any greater depth would not increase the flow of water into the reservoir, and also, because any water below the present depth of reservoir would not be available, on account of the distance below the number it being nearly 10 feet. The pumps, it being nearly 29 feet. The quality of the water flowing into the reservoir is excellent, and although the . Nothing is more conducive to health that to keep the feet dry and warm during the snow and slush of winter. In order to do this he care to provide your.

T. J. Abel., O. F. McKin, J. W. Butman.

trial cost has been only \$3,530, and some articles and stock purchased to be used in that work, are still on hand, and can be profitably used for other purposes.

57 bbls, cement, at \$1 perbar.

Correct . S. Burgess, Sup't. Decatur, Dec. 1, 1874.

The committee on sidewalks and crossings reported favorably to granting the Not Guilty.—In the case of The Peo- prayer of certain petitioners in relation ple vs. Nicholas Weber, for selling liquor to removing cinder walks on North Kim, Muzzy, Ehrman, Abel and Peake;

and a warrant was ordered drawn for the

amount. The following claims were also reported back and ordered paid: L. F. Muzzy, for coal; Thos. Flynn, jail account; Wm. Lintner, B. B. Tuttle, Decatur Gaslight

Co., and J. T. Nichols. The following lamp-posts were ordered: at the corner of Mill and East William streets, also two on North Water'st., and also at the corner of Orchard and Clay-

The committee on streets and alleys recommended a culvert to be built on Webster street, at the north end of Crea street.

A warrant was ordered issued in favor of November, together with pay-roll for of E. Hughes for one thousand dollars, and in favor of Benj. Dill for \$700.

The bill of Frank Haines, for services of Decatur band, was laid on the table. Bill of Burgess for sundries was order-

The bill of Burroughs & Co. was referred to finance committee.

The following bills were reported back from fluance committee and ordered paid, to-wit : Kain & Bro., Elwood & Co, two bills of M. H. Whitman, H. E. Foster, George Howard, M. C. Wykle, Stare & Bro., Hubbard & Swearingen, two bills, B. B. Tuttle, D. C. Moffitt, count for labor on the filter, and war- Union Iron Works, I., B. & W R. R., rants were ordered issued for the several R. D. Wood & Co., James Wilcox and Caldwell & Bro.

The following bills were referred to finance committee: G. C. Hunsley's, A. Culp's, and J. G. Hoffacker's jail account It was voted to pay the salaries of city

officers for November. Sundry resolutions in relation to sidewalk and crossings, together with others, in relation to gasoline lamps at certain

points, were referred to the proper committees.

A resolution asking the City Attorney to call upon those police magistrates who are delinquent in making their reports, o furnish the same forth with, was passed. It was voted that a warrant be drawn

work on engine house. It was voted that the Supt. of water works be instructed to collect water ents of all who had agreed to take water when pipes were laid. A resolution was adopted, instructing

the committee on sidewalks and crossings to confer with James Millikin, Esq., in reference to a stone walk in front of his building on Merchant street. A petition was read from B. F. Dodson, asking the transfer of his license for

the sale of intoxicating drinks to Julius Goldstein, which request was granted. The council then approved the bond of Julius Goldstein, for the sale of intoxicating liquors, and license was ordered issued, covering the time from Jan. 1s to April 1st, 1875, Aldermen McKim, Stare and Abel voting no The bond of Michael Farner for the

ame purposes, rejected. Voting aye, Aldermen Waggoner, Muzzy, Ehrman and Mills, nay, Aldermen Stare, McKim, Abel, Peake and Butman. Council then adjourned

Snyder & Gue, Druggists, successors o J. S. Hand & Co., desire to state that price for all kinds of grain. they are ready for business, and that they, together with Mr. Dubois, will welcome all of the old friends and patrons of Dr. Hand at the old stand, with as many new ones as may favor

We shall keep the best goods obtainable, deal fairly, and attend to business. SNYDER & GUE.

Business Directory of Illinois.—Mess Williams, Donnelly & Co., publishers of the Chicago City Directory, will issue about the 10th of January a complete Business Directory of the State of Illinois, to contain the address of every business man in the State, with occupation, and town, arranged alphabetically, also, list of post offices, county and State officers, information in regard to railroad and express companies, and much other valuable information. The book will be a necessity to every business man. Mr. E. E. Combs, their canvassing agent, is

now writing up Decatur. An Earnest Appeal for Aid .- We have been shown a letter written to Mr. Jas. Disbrow, of Warrensburg, by W. W. Calkins, now in Murray county, in the northern part of Minnesota. The letter sets forth that in Murray township, where the writer resides, there were only nine bushels of wheat raised this year, and several other towns in the

county are equally as bad off. Nearly great advantage over small dealers. every family is in a state of destitution, Cost of material and labor for constructing reservoir, sinking well, and many are on the verge of starvation.

The writer makes an earnest appeal for laying conduit pipe at Sangamon river: ceptable. From the tenor of the letter we should judge that the destitution is 424 00 greater than at any point from which we have heard in Kansas or Missouri. The writer of the letter is well known to Mr. relied upon as being truthful.

Palmer & Co.'s New York Black house next Monday evening. This is the largest hall show in this country .-

The troupe consists of nearly one hundred people, and their expenses are about \$500 daily. They will no doubt have a big house here. Most of the railroads run excursion trains for the surrounding towns, and the agent is in hopes of completing such arrangements here for some of our neighbors.

Pike, the Jeweler, is agent for the sale

CIRCUIT COURT.

FIRST DAY-DEC. 7, 1874. Court convened at 11 o'clock, p. m., Judge C. B. Smith presiding.

The following cases were disposed of as indicated : 🔩 People vs. Edward Melville; assault

with intent to rob. Continued. Same vs. R. G. Harrington; forgery. Recognizance forfeited.

Same vs. Chas. Beggs; larceny. tinued. Same vs. David High; assault with

deadly weapon. Defendant defaulted. Same vs. Andrew Rothfuss; selling liquor to minors. Trial by jury. Verdict, not guilty.

Same vs. Lewis R. Cain and Thomas Andrews; selling liquor to minors. Motion for change of venue-decision reserved. Same vs. Daniel W. Brenneman, two

eases, same charge. Same order.

selling liquor to intoxicated persons,-Motion for change of venue. Same vs. same; selling liquor nors. Same order.

Same vs. Cain & Andrews, two cases

Same vs. Garrett Schenck; selling liquor to intexicated person. Motion for change of veuue. Same vs. Daniel W. Brenneman: selling liquor to minors. Motion for change

Same vs. Cain & Andrews; keeping tippling house. Same motion. Same vs. same, three cases, selling iquor to minors. Same motion. The following is the list of

of venue.

GRAND JURORS for the present term of court: J. N. Hoyt, Foreman; Chas. H. Ful ler, Henry Shlaudeman, Joseph Mills, Joseph Brown, J. Benson Myers, Chas. Towers, Jordan Burkey, H. H. Scribner, A resolution in favor of paying the James Lichtenbarger, B. Wentworth, Poundmaster \$20 per month, was laid on Daniel Gault, A. II. Williams, Albert B. McKee, Harvey Mahannah, W. H. Sowell, W. M. Davis, George Nebinger, A. J. Williams, John L. Lane, F. A. Larch, W. H. Horton and A. J. Miller. As far as possible the Sheriff summon ed those men who had been selected by

the board of supervisors. Family Bibles, from \$3.00 to \$18.00, at Litsinberger & Sutton's. [7-daw1w

Business Changes .- Several important changes are on the tapis in business circles, and some have already taken place. Among these is the transfer of B. F. Dodson's business to Mr. Julius Goldstein, from Paris, this State. Invoicing is going on to day, and Mr. G. will be in full possession in a day or two.

All Persons indebted to me will confer a favor by immediate payment to Chas. A. Pollock, at my former place of business, or to me in person. M. D. COFFEEN.

New Feed Mill.-We call attention to the advertisement of Greenfield & Stare, which appears in our columns today. They are selling cornmeal at 75 cents per bushel, and buckwheat and rye flour proportionately cheap. Messrs. Greenfield & Stare are men of enterprise, and will run in connection with their feed mill a general grain warehouse business. They will pay the highest cash

Toys, cheaper than any place, at LITSINBERGER & SUTTON'S.

Badly Hurt .- Last night, after the adjournment of court, Mr. John G. Horn | pills and medicines." parger started to walk home to Macon. When a short distance north of that town, and while walking on the railroad track, he fell through, or off a culvert, injuring his spine very severely. He managed to crawl home, with great diffimanaged to crawl home, with great difficulty, and is to-day confined to his bed. It is not known how severe his injuries

may prove. First-class Boots and Shoes made by Powers, Ferriss & Co. . A. .

A Nickel-plated Valise is the only kind getlemen like to carry. A fresh invoice of them at MARBLE HALL.

The Question Answered-"How Linn & Scruggs employ so many salesmen and sell goods cheap." They keep the largest'stock of dry goods in Decatur—they retail more goods than any other Dry Goods House in the United States, ac cording to population, and their expenses are less in proportion to sales. Besides they are thus enabled to buy most of are correctly reported below: case and package, which gives them FLOUR—white wheat, & hundred

jun 2-d&wly Winter Stock of Hats and Caps,-the best ever brought to Decatur, at

For Several Years numerous experiments have been making for burning our soft coal successfully in a self-feeding magazine stove, that would require the fire to be built but once during the sea-Disbrow, and his representations can be son, and one in which fire could be kept from ten to thirty-six hours, without replenishing. Some of these experiments have proven partially successful, but none a perfect success, excepting the invention of the "OMAHA." We notice made arrangements for the presentation this stove is for sale by Close & GRIS-

> If you want a good fit, get Elwood to take your measure, at RACE's. [4-dtf Pike, the Jeweler, keeps the best Spectacles in the city, and sells them at [sept 1-d1m reasonable price.

than since 1860, at oct 19-dtf Prang's New Chromos, at Lersingerfi-dawlw

PERSONAL MENTION.

E. R. Eldridge, Esq., returned home from Fairbury last night. We had a very pleasant call this morn

ing from Hon. Shaw Pease, memberelect of the House of Representatives. MARRIED.

In this city, on the 8th inst., by Hon. S. F. Greer, MR. CHRISTIAN KRAHMER and Miss FANNY Higgins, all of this Venison.-Mr. Simmons, basement of

Priest's Hotel, has just returned from

Missouri with a fine young buck, which

he has on exhibition and sale. Far Caps, of every price and style, a

Extract From the Pod.-Dr. Price's vanilla flavor is extracted from the vanilla pod, obtained from Mexico. This popular flavor as made by Dr. Price embodies all of the delicate aroma of this agreeable fruit and is free from the strong, rank taste of those extracts in the market sold as vanilla, which are made from the cheap Tonqua or Snuff Bean. If something pure and nice is wanted to flavor cakes, pies, or puddings, get Dr. Price's True Flavoring Extracts, which are equal to his noted Cream Baking [5-daw1w:

Wedding Suits made to order, in first-[4-dif] class style, at RACE's.

Plain Questions for Invalids .- Have the routine medicines of the professions done you no good? Are you discouraged and miserable? If so, test the properties of the new Vegetable Specific. Du WALKER'S CALIFORNIA VINEGAR BIT-TERS, already famous as the finest invigorant, corrective and alterative that has ever seen the light. Dyspeptics and persons of bilious habits should keep it within reach, if they value health and

Overcoats, of all grades and prices, at MARRIE HALL

Games .- The largest assortment of Games for children and grown people ver shown in the city, at 🛂 LITSINBERGER & SUTTON'S.

26-3taw Holiday Umbrellas, in every style at A lot of Felt Shoes, imported from

Jermany, just received by Powers, Ferriss & Co. A Splendid Stock of Diaries for 1875. A LITSINBERGER & SUTTON'S. [7-dawlw

A Heavier Stock of Goods than ever before, at RACE's. [13-dtf The huge, drastic, griping, sickening The huge, drastic, griping, stekening pills, constructed of clude, contex and bulky ingredients, are fast being superseded by Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pungative Pellets, or Sugar-Coated, Concentrated Root and Herbal Juice, Anti-Bilious Granules—the "Little Giant" Cathartic or Multum in Purro Physic, Modern chemical science enables Modern chemical science enables Director of the Pierce to extract from the juices of the most valuable roots and herbs their active medicinal principles, which, when worked into little pellets or granules, scarcely larger than mustard seed, renders each little pellet as active and powerful while they are much more

as a large pill, while they are much more palatable and pleasant in effect.

Lyon & Macomben, druggist, Ver-illion D. T. sav: "We think they million, D. T, say: "We think they are going to sell like hot cakes as soon

RETAIL MARKET.

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DECATUR MARKET REPORT,

DECATUR, December 8, 1874. Owing to the rough condition of the roads but little grain is coming in at present. Prices in the general market

red superfine, "middings, CORN MEAL—# busines. Grass— Ard Grass, " UTOP— INGARIAN...... INGARIAN...... INGE per des M9—sugar-cu httlDEB8—p

SHEEP- " per hun., unsheared sheared..... Green # bu..

Clothing and Piece Goods, cheape TALLESW-Cake.... BLANKETS. FLANNELS. SHAWLS,

CLOAKS.

FURS,

LADIES' SUITS.

Manufacturers,

We are Sole Agents for

We are Agents also for

We have just received a large and elegant

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES,

REPELLANTS.

THE OLD DOMINION

BUCK GLOVES,

Buck Mitts and Buck Gauntlets, which is the BEST article of the kind in America. They are sewed by hand and are manufactured by a process known only to the maker. The price of these gloves is \$2,00, and as greatly interior gloves have been sold in this market as the Old Dominion Buck Gloves, we here state that none are grantice unless they bear the name of "G. Oil, Woodstock, Va." on the inside.

The Great Western White and Colored

CARPET WARP

Consumers.

DRESS GOODS!

Dress Fabrics

NOVELTIES

Diagonals, Camel's Hair Cloth, Cashmeres, French Merinces, Empress Cloth,

We have just received a large stock of The Peerless Alpacas

We have also complete lines of the most BLACK SILKS

which we purchased directly of the IMPOR-TERS, and will sell them at greatly reduced

HAMBURG EDGINGS,

This Warp is put up expressly for us with-out boards thus giving to the purchaser net weight, and the field and element Warp in the United States. We have selected our Fall and Winter stock with great care, both as to style and price, and can assure the public that our goods will be sold at the Lowest Prices.

Fine Books, Miscellaneous Books, Juvenile and Picture Books, Family and Pocket Bibles, Writing Desks and Work Boxes in great variety, Parlor Brackets and Wall Pockets, Albums, Pocket Books, New Chromos, Games, Alphabet and Building Blocks, &c., &c., First-Class Goods and

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East Main Street. 17

COAL. KING yet SOFT Stoves THE FOR ! **fa]**]

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Base Burning Bitumous Coal Stove,
OFFICES, &c.

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AN ILLUSTRATED MAGAZINE FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.

This magazine has now been nearly ten years before the public, and has secured for itself a righest reputation, for the excellence of its reading naster and the beauty of its illustration in the conductors aim to provide in each number we bolesome entertainment for the Latter The conductors aim to provide in each number we holesome entertainment for the Latter The Conductors aim to provide in each number we holesome entertainment of the Latter Theorem of the year, foote Foliage Foote, Specimen numbers 10 one Field. Clubs of 5 names at one time, \$1.10 cach Forings Foote. Specimen numbers 10 one Field. Clubs of 5 names at one time, \$1.10 cach Forings Foote 10 fis whose man Two Months Free! Los useful Freeze the month will recomming numbers of this year free! Los useful Freeze the provide of the Address, John E. Miller, Jubileor, Chicago, Ills.

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GARDNER HOUSE

CHICAGO. PRICES REDUCE D. C. H. BISSELL, formerly p. prietor of the Matteson House, and late of the Foun-tain Spring House, Waukesha, Ws., has assumed the manugement of the Gardner, and would be pleased to see his old friends and the travelling public. Terms from 32 to \$3.50 per day, according

Hotels, Asylums, and Families to keep ree from BUGS should use the SUSPENSION BED, Lighter, Cleaner, Easier, more Durable AND COSTS MUCH LESS THAN ANY OTHER First-class Spring. If not for sale in you

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Theodore Steinen,

GARDENER!

Thanking the public for its past liberal putronage, would respectfully announce that he has now for sale, at his Green and Hot House, on South Webster street, a large quantity of HFAD LETTICE, a fulley of HANGING BASKETS, jest revived from Shaw's Garden, St. Louis, together with all sorts of FLOWERS.

FINE BOQUETS

ill be furnished for Parties, &c., on short otice. Prices reasonable. Call and sec. Decatur, Nov. 17-diw FOR SALE!

TWO STORY FRAME HOUSE, on the corner of West Main and Pine attests, will be sold very low. For information in-uire, at Dr. Sibley's office, of the control Sept. 11-dawtf.

Silk Warp Mohairs, Balernoes, &c. And Mohairs. which are superior to all other makes, for color, fluish and durability.

Black Silk Velvets

We have special "Jobs" in

Holiday Presents

Low Prices,

Dec. 7, 1871--d&w2m. Dr. Ira A. Thayen, of Baconsburg, Ohio, writes: "I regard your pellets as the best remedy for the conditions-for which you prescribe them of anything I have ever used—so mild and certain in effect, and leaving the bowels in an excellent condition. It seems to me they must take the place of all other cathartic pills and medicines."

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Superintendent of Schools. S. P. Nickey
County Surveyor. Geo. V. Loring
Coroner. M. Y. Givler

Board of Supervisors.

at 19% o'clock, A. M. and 7:20 P. M.; Sabbath school, 2 P. M.
FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—
Corner of North Water and William Streets tev. W. H. Reed, pastor. Services at 19% A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M. Stapp's CHAPKL, (METHODIST EPISCOPAL).—Corner of Edorado and Franklin streets.—Rev. Wm. Styenson, pastor. Services at 10% A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M. W. Prentiss Presiding Hider.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Northeast corner of Water and Will, Streets. Rev. Mr Honhum pastor. Services at 10% A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 9 A. M.
PROTESTAN EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—On Wa-

THE REP

The Services at 10½ A. M. and TP. M., Sabbath school at 9 A. M.

PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH—On Water street south of Eldorado street. Rev. W We be wife rector. Services at 10½ A. M. and TP. M.; Sabbath school at 2.50 P. M.

UNITED BRETHERS CHURCH—Corner North Main and Corro Gordo streets. Rev Mr. Babbath school at 2 P. M.

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TERMS.

BENEVOLENT SECRET SO-CIETIES. O. U. A. M.

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MACON LODGE, NO. 8, A. F. & A. M.—Reguar meeting, Saturday night preceding full moon every month, G. W. Bright, W. M.; Samuel Newell, Secretary

IONIC LODGE, NO. 312, A. P. & A. M.—Regular meeting, Monday night preceding full moon every month. R. C. tooker, W. M., Geo, S. Durice, Secretary

MACON CHAPITER, NO. 21. Regular meeting, Tuesday night preceding tull moon every month. A. A. Murray H. P.; M., Johnson, Secretary. month. A. A. Marian, Becretary.

Decature Council, No. 18 - A. A. Murray, G. M.; J. B. Gorin, P. C. W.; Wm L. Hammer Recorder. Regular meeting, that Monday of every month.

Notices of the Press:

The executation of this excellent monthly proves its continued adaptation to popular desires and needs.—

N. G.; F. G. Richmond, R. S. Meet every Monday; at Odd Fellows' Hall.

DECATUR ENCAMPMENT, No. 17.—P. D. Klines, C. P.; G. W. Patterson, H. P.; A. W. Slack, S. W.; F. G. Richmond, J. W.; B. B. Molfegan, Seribe; B. Stine, Treas. Meets every second and fourth Thrusslay in each month, at Odd Fellows' Hall.

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next, between the hours of 16 o'clock in the
forencon and four o'clock in the afternoon
of said day, sell at public sale, at the west
door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county, the real estate described as follows, to-wit: The east half of
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